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Berne, June 11.

THE Secretary of Zurich has written from Ulm, that he hoped to obtain a Prolongation of the Term, which the Circle of Swabia had preſcribed in Expectation of the Reſolutions of the Cantons; adding that if the whole Helvetick Body did not concur unanimouſly with the Circle in breaking off all Commerce with France and Geneva, there was not the leaſt Hope of avoiding a Prohibition of Traffick with the Empire. The Canton of Schaffhuyſen concurs with that of Zurich, in prohibiting all Trade with France and Geneva and obliging the *Pays de Vaud* along the Lake to obſerve a ſtrict Quarantain: But that of Lucerne refuſes to do it, and blames Zurich for having ſent a Secretary to the Circle of Swabia, without conſulting beforehand the other Cantons upon an Affair that concerns them all alike. The Opinion of the reſt is not yet known, but as it is very likely that all will not conſent to an Interdiction of Trade with the Provinces of France, it appears probable that there will be an abſolute Prohibition of all Traffick between Switzerland and the Empire.

Paris, June 21. Frequent Expreſſes are ſent from Court to Provence, and to the Gevaudan, with the neceſſary Orders concerning the Means to be uſed for preventing the further ſpreading of the Plague, and for relieving the Inhabitants of the infected Places. The Intendants of all the Provinces of this Kingdom have received Orders to lay up large Stores of Proviſions, and ſeveral of the great trading Towns have gathered conſiderable Sums of Money for erecting Magazines for the Relief of the Poor, in Caſe of an Infection. The Duke of Roquelaure has cauſed Courjeat, a ſmall Village in the Neighbourhood of la Canourgue to be burned, and the latter to be inveſted in ſuch a Manner, that it will be impoſſible for any of the Inhabitants to get out of it. A Line is likewiſe ordered to be drawn round that Place, and a ſufficient Number of Troops appointed to guard it. According to Letters from Aix of the 2d Inſtant, the Diſtemper had in a Manner ceaſed there, they having had within three Days but ſix dead and five Sick; but at Toulon it is ſtill very violent, and by Computation not above 6000 Inhabitants are remaining in that City. It is ſaid the Duke of Chartres, Collonel General of the Infantry, will be made alſo Collonel of the French Guards in the Room of the Duke of Gramont, to whom the Duke of Harcourt will reſign his Company of Life-Guards, and for which the latter is to receive a Sum of 500000 Livres, with a Promiſe of the firſt Government which may become vacant. It is ſaid there will be ſhortly another Reform amongſt the Troops. Within theſe eight Days paſt the King has been every Day at ſome Church of this City to aſſiſt at divine Service; and on the 19th Inſtant his Majeſty, accompanied by the Duke of Bourbon and the Marſhal de Villeroy, was at the Palace of Luxembourg, to ſee the Proceſſion of the Pariſh of St. Sulpice, there being a magnificent reſting Place erected for the Sacrament in the Court of that Palace.

War-Office, June 16, 1721.

His Majeſty having been pleaſed to ſign an Order, appointing a Court-Martial for the Trial of Second Lieutenant Bryan Janſone, of Brigadier-General Andrew Biſſet's Regiment of Fuziliers, now in the Iſland of Minorca, which is to be held in the Great Room at the Horſe-Guards, on Thurſday the 29th Inſtant: He is hereby required there and then to appear, otherwiſe the ſaid Court-Martial will proceed againſt him, purſuant to the Act of Parliament for Puniſhing Mutiny, Deſertion, &c. and to the Articles of War now in Force.

Geo. Treby.

Notice is hereby given, that a Seſſion of Oyer and Terminer and Goal Delivery for the Tryal of Offences committed upon the High Seas, within the Juriſdiction of the Admiralty of England, will be held on Monday the 3d of July next, at Juſtice-Hall in the Old-Baily, London, at Seven in the Morning.

South-Sea Houſe, June 15, 1721.

Whereas, notwithſtanding the ſeveral Advertiſements already publiſhed for the Proprietors in the 3d and 4th Money Subſcriptions to come to the South-Sea Houſe, and make their Claims of Stock for their Intereſts in theſe Subſcriptions, that Stock might be carried to their reſpective Accounts for the ſame, many Perſons have omitted to make their Claims: The Court of Directors of the South-Sea Company do hereby give Notice, that Attendance will be further given every Day till the 13th of July next, in order to receive the ſaid Claims.

The Court of Directors of the United Company of Merchants of England trading to the Eaſt-Indies do hereby give Notice, that a General Court of the ſaid Company will be holden at the Eaſt-India Houſe in Leadenhall-Street, London, on Friday the 23d Inſtant, at Eleven in the Forenoon, the ſame being a Quarterly Court; that the Transfer Books of the ſaid Company will be ſhut up from Friday the ſaid 23d Inſtant, till Thurſday the 20th of July next; and that the Annuity Warrants due at Midſummer next, will be ready to be delivered to the Adventurers on Tueſday the 22d of Auguſt next.

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